

Customer No. 28596  
Attorney Docket No. FA/243A

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Farnworth	) Group Art Unit: 1794
	) Examiner: Anish P. Desai
Serial No.: 10/760,141	) Conf. No.: 7216
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Filed: January 16, 2004	)
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For: Thermally Insulating Products for	)
Footwear and Other Apparel	)

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED  
EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby requests continued examination of this application and withdrawal of the finality of the Office Action mailed November 25, 2009. Submitted herewith is a reply to the outstanding Office Action.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 07-1729 for the required fee, and for any additional charges that may be incurred.

Respectfully submitted,



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